



SOUTHEAST ASIA: Mostly dry weather in central Thailand favored main-season rice development. Scattered showers (50-200 mm) increased moisture supplies elsewhere in Thailand. In Vietnam, dry weather favored early rice harvesting in the north, but reduced moisture supplies to the south. Heavy monsoon showers (100-400 mm) caused flooding throughout Luzon, Philippines, while scattered showers (10-50 mm) occurred elsewhere. Generally dry weather in peninsular Malaysia reduced moisture supplies for oil palm. In Java, Indonesia, isolated showers (10-50 mm) prevailed.